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NOTICE OF APPLICABILITY

RESOLUTION NO. R5-2003-0106, WILDEROTTER VINEYARD, AMADOR COUNTY

On 11 June 2003, Philip Wilderotter and Wilderotter Vineyards were enrolled under General Order No. R5-2003-0029, the General Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) for On-Site Storage and Off-Site Disposal of Wastewater Generated by Commercial Wineries Within the Central Valley Region. As you may be aware, on 11 July 2003, the Regional Board rescinded General WDRs Order No. R5-2003-0029 and instead adopted Resolution No. R5-2003-0106 (a copy of which is enclosed). Resolution No. R5-2003-0106 is a conditional waiver of WDRs for small food processors, including wineries.

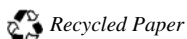
Philip Wilderotter operates Wilderotter Vineyard at 19890 Shenandoah School Road in Plymouth, Amador County. Approximately 25 tons of grapes will be crushed each year. Wastewater will be stored on-site in a tank, and hauled by Sweet Pea Septic service to the Sierra Septic site for appropriate disposal. Solid waste will be spread on approximately 25 acres of vineyard.

Based on the information submitted in the NOI for coverage under General Order No. R5-2003-0029, the discharge as described above satisfies the general and specific conditions of Resolution No. R5-2003-0106, "*Conditional Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements for Small Food Processors within the Central Valley, Including Wineries.*" Therefore, this letter serves as formal notice that Resolution No. R5-2003-0106 is applicable and waste discharge requirements for this facility are waived.

Enclosed is a copy of Resolution No. R5-2003-0106 and the associated monitoring and reporting program. As described therein, an annual report must be submitted by **1 February of each year**. If the method of winery wastewater and solids disposal practices is changed from that described in the NOI, then you must submit a new report of waste discharge.

If you have any questions, please contact Scott Kranhold at (916) 255-3389.

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Mr. Philip Wilderotter
Wilderotter Vineyards

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enc: Resolution No. R5-2003-0106

cc w/o enc: Michael Israel, Amador County Environmental Health Department, Jackson